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Composition Articles Made
Therefrom and Method of
Manufacture

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Applicants wish to bring to the attention of the Patent Office the following patent publications:

U.S. Pat. Publication 2002/0198121 (Referencing product which is the subject of the present application. See Vitrolite at page 2, paragraph 12.)

WO 00/73370, 12/2000 (WIPO companion to priority application to this case.)

Database WPI, Section Ch, Week 198601, Derwent Publications Ltd., London, GB; Class A60, AN 1986-004356, XP002147528 & JP 60 231729A (Asahi Chem Ind Co Ltd), 18 November 1985 (1985-11-18) abstract (Cited in WO 00/73370.)

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Relevance of foreign language documents is their citation in WO 00/73370, a WIPO companion to the priority application to the present application.

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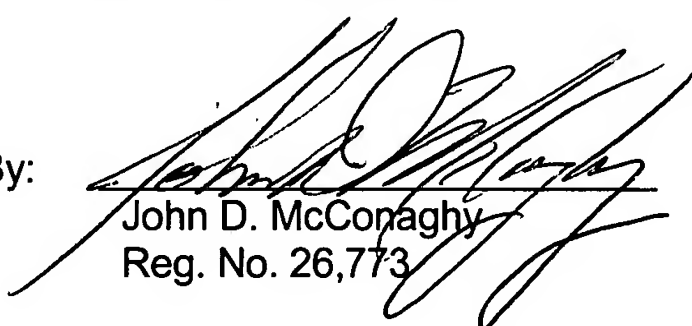
All applicable presumptions and reservations afforded by 37 CFR 1.56 et seq. regarding disclosure are incorporated herein by reference.

Respectfully submitted,

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